

One Hundred Tenth Congress  
of the  
United States of America

AT THE SECOND SESSION

*Begun and held at the City of Washington on Thursday,  
the third day of January, two thousand and eight*

An Act

To amend title 36, United States Code, to revise the congressional charter of the Military Order of the Purple Heart of the United States of America, Incorporated, to authorize associate membership in the corporation for the spouse and siblings of a recipient of the Purple Heart medal.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of  
the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

**SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

This Act may be cited as the “Purple Heart Family Equity Act of 2007”.

**SEC. 2. ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP IN THE MILITARY ORDER OF THE  
PURPLE HEART OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
INCORPORATED.**

Section 140503(b) of title 36, United States Code, is amended by striking “parents and lineal descendants” and inserting “the parents, spouse, siblings, and lineal descendants”.

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*Vice President of the United States and  
President of the Senate.*